

The monthly bulletin of the
Bar Hill residents Association,
distributed to all residents

New Residents

We welcome this month:

Mrs. Anwyl, 13 Almond Grove ✓
Mr. and Mrs. Barron, 2 Otter Gardens ✓
Mr. and Mrs. Fahey, 10 Almond Grove
Mr. and Mrs. Miller, 14 Acorn Avenue ✓
Mr. and Mrs. Parsons, 31 Acorn Avenue ✓
Mr. and Mrs. Williams, 35 Otter Close ✓
Viking-Husqvarna (in Industrial Units).

BHRA: Meeting with Bar Hill Developments

Mr. Dear, a Director of Bar Hill Developments, has agreed to address a general meeting of the Residents Association at the School at 8.15 p.m. on Monday, 29th September 1969. All residents will be very welcome to come and hear about BHD's plans for the future of the Village.

If you have any questions you would like put to Mr. Dear, would you please send them to the Secretary* to arrive on or before Friday, 19th September. Similar questions will be grouped together and submitted to Mr. Dear beforehand, so that he will have an opportunity to bring the answers to the meeting

* Mike Duce, 22 Gladeside

Evening Classes at Bar Hill

All classes are held in the School at 7.30 p.m. unless otherwise stated.
Autumn term: Monday 22nd September - Wednesday, 3rd December inclusive (there will be no classes during half-term, 3rd, 4th and 5th November).

*** ENROLMENT takes place at Swavesey Village College on Tuesday, 16th September from 7.30 to 9.30 p.m., or at the first class.

Please note that some classes will be limited in number, so to be sure of acceptance it is advisable to go to Swavesey on 16th September; this is also enrolment night for classes at Swavesey.

Mr. D. C. Gent, the Adult Tutor at Swavesey Village College, will be pleased to consider suggestions for other classes (telephone Swavesey 373).

Monday

Art
Fencing Club A. Kellett
Ladies Keep Fit Miss J. A. Bone, Mrs. D. Waterson

Tuesday

Camera Club Secretary: E. Lancaster
(Meetings are held on the first Tuesday in the month)
Drama Mrs. S. Willows
Dressmaking

Wednesday

Badminton Club
Wine Appreciation A. S. Dembinski

Thursday

Car Maintenance R. Woodford
Mainly for Women: a series of lectures on the second Thursday of the month.

(9th October: Carpets. 13th November: Dress Fabrics. 11th December (8 p.m.): Say it with Mink. 12th February: Lingerie. 12th March: My work as a journalist)

The Fete was held on Bank Holiday Monday, 1st September, and was opened at 2.30 p.m. by Mr. Desmond January, who stayed throughout the afternoon, and took part in the closing events.

The first activity of the afternoon was the Children's Fancy Dress Competition, organised by Mrs. Willows; there was a large entry, and the judges were Mr. January and Mrs. Leakey, our County Councillor. First prize was won by Helen and Catherine Prandy as "A Letter Box and Letter", and second prize by Julie and Deborah Griffin as "John and Yoko"; Richard Page, as "A Tin Man" came third. Next was the Baby Show, run by Mrs. Fromant and judged by Mrs. Butler. The winners were (Up to 9 months): Jennifer Warren, Cambridge, and (9 to 18 months): Tracy Plumb, Cambridge.

A fascinating demonstration of judo training, throws and falls, by the Cambridge Judo Club attracted a large crowd of spectators, after which the Cambridge Scottish Dancing Club provided an impeccable display of dancing by a team of six of its members. All through the afternoon the Women's Institute supplied excellent refreshments which were much appreciated. Exhibitions had been mounted by the Pre-school Playgroup, the Holiday Painting Class, the Mid-Anglia Constabulary, the British Red Cross Society, and there was also a display of Village handicrafts. As well as selling programmes, the Scout Group ran several very successful activities, including a Hot Dog stall.

There were also numerous competitions: it transpired that there were 66 Sweets in the Bottle, a number most nearly approached by Mrs. Haselton of Cambridge; Mrs. Harbottle, Robin Close, guessed correctly that the doll's name was Kathryn; Mr. Law of Cambridge identified the highest number of Celebrities, and the winner of the Advertisements competition was Mr. Sargeant of Cambridge. The Treasure Hunt was won by Robert Muir, of Robin Close, and only Mrs. Fear, Gladeside, guessed What was in the Box.

Most of the many other stalls and sideshows continued until 5.30, when names of competition winners were announced and the Grand Draw was made by the Reverend W. H. King. Winners of the Draw were: 1st prize (Weekend in Paris for Two) Miss Diana Aitkin, Leighton Bromswold, Hunts.; other prizes: Mr. Amies (Boots token); Mr. Bycroft (chocolates); Miss Crane (electric iron); Mr. Duce* (electric iron); Mr. S. Edwards (Boots token); Mr. E. Hall (Keymarkets token); Mrs. Halliday (book token); Mr. Miller (record token); Mr. M. Page (Robert Sayle token); Mr. Pook* (basket of fruit); Mrs. M. Sheldon* (Lauries token); Mrs. Wilson (box of jams). (* denotes Bar Hill residents.)

In the evening about 150 people attended the Barbecue and Dance; dancing, in the School hall, was to music provided by the "Hot Ice" and the Tom Collins Discotheque; one of the nearby barns was cleared for the barbecue, and decorated by Mrs. Willows and her helpers.

The weather all day was dry but rather cold, and it was a great advantage to have many of the attractions indoors; we had competition from at least four other Bank Holiday fetes in the region, but the more elaborate preparations at Bar Hill this year were fully justified by far larger crowds than last year, and by a healthy profit. It is still not possible to say exactly what this profit amounts to, but the sum is in the region of £100 and will be dedicated to Village amenities.

Finally, the Fete Committee would like to thank everyone who contributed to this success, particularly Mr. Norton, the Headmaster, and Mr. and Mrs. Oliver, for their enthusiastic co-operation in the use of the School. We thank also the following people (with sincere apologies for any omissions): Mrs. Butler, Mrs. Leakey, Mr. D. January, the Rev. King; Mrs. Archer, Mr. Barnes, Mr. and Mrs. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Buntin, Mr. and Mrs. Burry, Miss Blandon, Mr. and Mrs. Cassim, Mrs. Dale, Mrs. Davis, Mrs. Downey, Mrs. Duce, Mrs. Fromant, Mr. Hook, Mr. Lakin, Mr. Leverington, Mr. and Mrs. Miller, Mrs. Nunn, Mr. Palmann, Mrs. Prandy, Mrs. Rapley, Mr. Small, Mr. Southgate, Mrs. Taylor, Mrs. Temple, Mrs. Way, Mr. White, Mr. Wigley, Mr. Wilkins, Mrs. Willows, Mrs. Wills; Bar Hill Women's Institute, 1st Bar Hill Scout Group, The Sixpenny Club, Pre-school Playgroup, Cambridge Consultants Ltd., Broadway Farm Riding Stables, British School of Motoring, Cambridge Judo Club, Cambridge Scottish Dancing Club, Mid-Anglia Constabulary, British Red Cross Society. We thank also for donations and prizes: Mr. Burry (bottle of sherry), CB Tools (donation), Cow and Gate (prizes), Forbuoys (prize); Mr. D. January (donation), Keymarkets (voucher), Lea Valley Dairies (formerly Home Counties) (24 pints of milk), the John Lewis Partnership (voucher). Viking Husqvana (3 irons), Mrs. Wade (voucher), Westminster Bank (donation).

Fete Committee: R. Dale, M. Downey, M. Duce, M. Palmann, J. Wills

Bar Hill Pre-school Playgroup

The Playgroup are having a Jumble Sale in the Market on Thursday, November 6th, and would very much appreciate any contributions. A collection will be made nearer the date, so please don't throw everything on the bonfire!

Third Friday Club

The Third Friday Club is held at Swavesey Village College on the third Friday of every month at 3.0 p.m. There is a talk or demonstration on a topic of interest to mothers, and a nursery playgroup is arranged for the children under the supervision of Miss Palmer, Health Visitor for the Swavesey area.

The first talk, on 19th September, is "How to amuse a child on a wet day".

There is a coach to the College, which leaves the shopping centre at Bar Hill at 2.35 p.m. A subscription of 5s. per term is payable, to cover the cost of transport and of orange juice and biscuits for the children.

Further details from Mrs. K. Prandy, 15 Acorn Avenue (Crafts Hill 201).

National Savings

Monthly totals: July £76 2s. Od. August £65 18s. Od.

If anyone living in Phase 2 is willing to collect National Savings there, will she please contact Mrs. Wigley, 18 Acorn Avenue.

Cambridgeshire and Isle of Ely County Council Welfare Department

A Night Attendant on the Aged and Infirm is required at Willingham House, Willingham, a residential home for the elderly.

Wages: $5\frac{3}{4}$ d. per hour minimum, with substantially higher rates for certain periods.

Apply to the Matron, Willingham 337.

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